SENATE BILL 437 By Crowe

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 67, Chapter 6, relative to the sale of certain food products.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 67-6-228, is amended by adding a new subsection thereto, as follows:

(d) Notwithstanding any provision of this chapter to the contrary, the sale at retail, the use, the consumption, the distribution and the storage for use or consumption in this state of bread and of milk is specifically exempted from the tax imposed by this chapter. Milk, for the purposes of this section, means the lacteal secretion of cows and includes all skim, butterfat, or other constituents obtained from separation or any other process that is consumed as a liquid.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2005, the public welfare requiring it.